

PETERSBURG EXCITING EXPERIENCE WITH NEGRO PRISONER

Officer Has Narrow Escape When
Alleged Thief Covers Him
With His Pistol.

SAVED BY QUICK BLOW

In Pursuit That Follows Several
Shots are Exchanged Without In-
jury to Either, and Fugitive Is
Lost in Ravine.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, VA., October 31.—Police Officer M. T. Aldridge had an exciting experience with a negro named George Miller last night, who is charged with the larceny of an overcoat, a watch and \$25 in money, the property of Letter Carrier Cornelia Graves. The theft is alleged to have been committed at Graves' home, on New Street, during the progress of a Halloween party. Officer Aldridge found Miller at the latter's home, on Kentucky Avenue, and put him under arrest. Miller, however, pulling his cap and, stooping to pick it up, the officer, on standing erect, was startled to find the negro pointing a pistol directly in his face. He knocked the pistol up, and the negro immediately took to flight. In the pursuit on the open, Miller shot three times at the officer, and the officer shot twice at the negro. Miller was not hurt, and it is not known that Miller was struck. Miller fled over the heights and escaped in the ravine beyond.

City Not in Need of Money.
Mayor Cabaniss recently received a letter from a firm of northern banks, stating that if the city of Petersburg is in need of finances at the present time and desires to place short-term notes for six to eight months, the firm could handle them on a very satisfactory basis. The Mayor responded that the city's finances are in such excellent condition that there is no present need to borrow money. The city has a surplus of \$100,000 in bank, subject to check, and the taxes that are to come in before the end of the year will largely increase this cash.

Death of Former Citizen.
Joseph Peyer, a well-known former citizen of Petersburg and a merchant here, died on Wednesday in New York, where he had resided for several years. He leaves many warm friends in this city, and is survived by two sisters—Mrs. J. H. Smith and Mrs. Ray Klein, both of New York. The body will probably be brought to Petersburg for burial by the side of his parents.

Grays Elect Officers.
At the meeting last night of the Petersburg Grays, First Lieutenant W. H. Davis, was elected to the Captaincy to succeed Captain H. E. McCredy, resigned, and Private B. S. Jones was elected First Lieutenant to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of First Lieutenant Davis as Captain. The other commissioned officers of the company are Second Lieutenant C. C. Crowder.

The Grays' company has a strength of forty-eight enlisted men, young men enthusiastic in the maintenance of their organization notwithstanding the advantages under which the company has long labored. Their armory is a large building, and the room necessary accommodations. The room is not large enough even for the company to form into line, and all drilling and maneuvering have to be done in the streets. The council has in contemplation the erection of a suitable armory at some future time, but that time is very indefinite and the Grays are keeping together and living in hopes of better quarters.

University Alumni.
The executive committee of the University Association of the University of Virginia met last night and elected T. Beckwith president to succeed Walter D. McKenney, who was recently elected to that position but declined it. The executive committee which is composed of R. T. Wilson, Chairman, George Mason, Paul Pettit, T. S. Beckwith, H. D. Wolfe and E. F. Clements will meet again soon to perfect the organization.

New Officers in Charge.
Design and Mrs. Cuthbert have arrived here to take charge of the local branch of the Salvation Army. Between them they have seen over forty-five years' service with the Salvation Army, in various parts of the country, their experience extending to Chicago, Baltimore, Milwaukee and other large cities. The army has accomplished a great deal of good in Petersburg, particularly among the poor.

Taken to Hospital.
Clairborne McD. Pope, a well-known real estate dealer, was taken suddenly ill yesterday afternoon with appendicitis. He was hurried to the hospital and operated on, and his condition to-day is favorable.

Elmer Bristow, sixteen years old, son

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of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bristow, and a
student at the High School, was taken
to the hospital to-day in a critical con-
dition. While playing during school
recess he was accidentally struck or
kicked on the back of the head from
the effects of which he was prostrated.

Personal and Otherwise.

Mrs. R. M. Sully has gone to San
Francisco on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wood are in New
York, where Judge Watson has no mas-
on, A. B. Wood, Jr., on his return for
England.

A musical tea for the benefit of the
destitute Belgians will be given from 4
to 7 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon at
the residence of Mrs. Alexander Ham-
ilton. There will be silver offerings.

Thomas Hunt, of Prince George, who
has been a patient in the hospital for
several weeks has recovered sufficient-
ly to return home.

The pupils of St. Joseph's Academy
enjoyed a delightful Halloween party
and masquerade last evening. The Rev.
Father Haler awarded prizes to Mas-
ters Frank Brown, Roderick King, Dan-
iel Finn, Walter Dodge, Leslie Blank-
enship, Daniel Cassidy and Miss Ger-
trude Shortt.

The city electoral board has ap-
pointed judges and clerks to conduct
the election next Tuesday and commis-
sioners to canvass and announce the
vote, as Judge Watson has no mas-
on, A. B. Wood, Jr., on his return for
England.

William Jones, colored, out on bail
in the sum of \$50 for his appearance to
answer the charge of assisting in the
robbery of a mail train, failed to ap-
pear, and his bond was declared forfeit
this morning.

The Women's Missionary Society of
the Methodist Church will observe next
week as a week of prayer, with services
each afternoon at one or the other
churches.

HERO OF "THREE WEEKS"

FOUND DEAD IN HIS ROOM

Piece of Sandwich Analyzed by Cor-

oner's Chemist Sprinkled With

Cyanide of Potassium.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, October 31.—"Baby
Paul," hero of Elmer Glyn's "Three
Weeks," is dead. In private life he
had been known to New York for years
as Paul DeClairmont, and had styled
himself a Russian prince. There was
no tiger-skin rug on the floor of the
room he occupied in West Fifty-first
street, and so the maid who opened the
door with a pass-key, after she had
been unable for two days to get in,
found Paul on the ordinary dining-
house bed. He had been bitten out, and
when the remainder was analyzed by
the coroner's chemist it was found to
be sprinkled with cyanide of potas-
sium. The direct cause of his demise
is supposed to have been his landlady's
harshly delivered edict that she ran a
house for respectable actors, and that
"Prince Paul" didn't measure up to her
requirements. This had resulted from
Paul's refusal to see his wife, Margaret
DeClairmont, from whom he had sepa-
rated. When refused an interview, Mrs.
DeClairmont told the boarding-house
keeper all about "Prince Paul," and
the request that he give up his room
apparently was too much for him, and
he endeavored to end his life. He was
thirty-three years old and had figured in
a number of real life romances almost
as much as in the tiger-skin story,
which he claimed to have inspired.

Will Wed in December.

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Hirsh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David
Hirsh, of this city, to Joel Judas, of
New York City. The ceremony will be
celebrated in the St. Regis Hotel, in
New York, on December 16.

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Shoes. Plenty of
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black cloth. High
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Beautiful Finest
Imported Bronze
Leather Shoe
Cloth top to
match. Hand-
sewed, French
heels.
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Women's
Beautiful Finest
Imported Bronze
Leather Shoe
Cloth top to
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heels.
\$6

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\$6

PROFESSORS MAY GET HIGHER SALARIES

President Alderman Presents Plan
Whereby University's Servitors
Will Be Rewarded.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., October
31.—A plan is now being worked out
with a view to increasing automatically
the salaries of professors at the Univer-
sity of Virginia.

President Alderman has had such a
scheme in mind for a long time. Shortly
before he sailed for Europe last May
he talked the matter over with Dean
Armistead. President Alderman, Rector
Armistead, C. Gordon and Dean Page
constitute a committee that has com-
pleted a definite proposal which has
been submitted to the board of visitors.

In a letter written to the rector and
visitors in May, President Alderman
stated his views partially as follows:
"I simply wish to say that while the
details of this plan may not be worked
out until June, it is to me the most
important single thing to come before
the board of visitors. It is the wisest
way in which money can be put
into the present stage of the univer-
sity's growth. These gentlemen (the
professors) are uncomplaining and
faithful, but you know, and they know,
too, well that their salaries have been
cut in two in the last ten years by the
advancing prices of all the essentials
of life. It is getting impossible to se-
cure a higher type of man to come to
us when vacancies occur, on account of
the inadequacy of compensation. The
whole scale of living and compensation
is changing, and we must in some way
show our desire to reward our own
servitors, and to do justice to men who
have given their lives for the public
benefit."

The plan presented to the board of
visitors is as follows:

"1. After six years of satisfactory
service, the salary of a full professor
may be increased by 10 per cent of the
salary which he received during his
sixth year. These gentlemen (the
professors) are uncomplaining and
faithful, but you know, and they know,
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"2. After twelve years of satisfactory
service, the salary of a full professor
may again be increased by 10 per cent
of the salary which he received during
his twelfth year. These gentlemen (the
professors) are uncomplaining and
faithful, but you know, and they know,
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benefit."

"3. That any professor who has been furnished
with a house or the usual conveniences
of \$300 shall be considered to have
already received this second increase."

The plan is intended to apply to the
case of a full professor, who
gives his full time to work in the
university.

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action of the board of visitors is ex-
pected within a short time.

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